

#### **Section Four: Assessing Readiness for Forming an AP Vertical Team**

In this section participants will:

1. Understand the critical steps in assessing readiness for forming an AP Vertical Team.
2. Reflect on the personal commitment necessary for becoming a contributing member of an AP Vertical Team.
3. Participate in a reflection exercise that can be used to assess individual and organizational readiness for forming an AP Vertical Team.

#### **Third Cornerstone-Collegiality**

#### **Section Five: Establishing the AP Vertical Team**

In this section participants will:

1. Understand the critical steps in a collegial AP Vertical Team.
2. Identify preliminary goals and decide how these goals will be accomplished for a discipline-specific AP Vertical Team.
3. Reflect on characteristics of leadership, describe the qualities of an effective team leader, and evaluate their own potential as an AP Vertical Team.

#### **Fourth Cornerstone-Collaboration**

#### **Section Six: Maintaining the AP Vertical Team**

In this section participants will:

1. Understand the critical skills necessary to maintain a collaborative AP Vertical Team.
2. Identify important team-building experiences for the life of the AP Vertical Team.
3. Apply rules and procedures for effective team meetings to problems and issues encountered by AP Vertical Teams.

#### **Section Seven: Evaluating Progress of the AP Vertical Team**

In this section participants will:

1. Understand the importance of evaluating the progress of the AP Vertical Team.
2. Explore different evaluation measures, methods, and tools for assessing the impact and effectiveness of the AP Vertical Team.
3. Identify evaluation measures, methods, and tools for specific goals established by an AP Vertical Team.